

Original for Court Record

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**IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA
IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF _____**

In the Matter of the Petition of

Petitioner**STEPPARENT ADOPTION**

**Consent to Adoption by Parent
Retaining Custody**

I, the undersigned, being the parent of _____ give my full and
Name of Minor
 free consent to the adoption of said child by _____, who is
Name of Petitioner (Stepparent)
 my husband/wife/domestic partner without relinquishing any of my rights, duties, obligations as his/her parent, and I respectfully ask
 that the petition be granted.

Said child was born on _____ in _____ and is the child
Date City and State
 of _____ and _____
Name of Legal Parent Name of Legal Parent
 Date _____ 20 _____
Signature of Parent

Signed in the presence of

*Title

* The Clerk of the Superior Court, the Probation Officer, or, where stepparent investigations are delegated to County Welfare Departments, a County Welfare Department Staff member may witness.

This form for use only when person giving consent is husband or wife of petitioner or domestic partner, as defined in Family Code Section 297, of petitioner.

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